

27045 to 27048.

From Orleans, France. Presented by Mr. Leon Chenault, at the request of Mr. Philippe Vilmorin.

Received March 14, 1910.

Plants of the following:

27045. × *BERBERIS STENOPHYLLA* Lindl.

"Seedlings of this hybrid between *B. darwinii* and *B. empetrifolia*. The seedlings break up in all intermediate types and the whole plant serves as an excellent illustration that even if the immediate result of a hybridization does not give what is wanted, the seedlings of such a plant may." (*F. N. Meyer.*)

27046. *PINUS ARMANDI* Franch.

"A new rather dwarf pine from western China." (*F. N. Meyer.*)

Distribution.—On the Tsingling Mountains in the Province of Shensi, and in the Provinces of Szechwan and Yunnan, western China.

27047. *LONICERA PILEATA* Oliver.

"This is a good plant for rockeries and at the ends of beds of shrubbery; it is of caespitose habit like the *Cotoneaster horizontalis*." (*F. N. Meyer.*)

Distribution.—Only known from the vicinity of Ichang in the Province of Hupeh, China.

27048. *MORUS ALBA* L.

White mulberry.

"Variety *fastigiata*. Quite rare, and may be of value in the Southern States as a pyramidal tree." (*F. N. Meyer.*)

27049 to 27072.

From Russia. Received through Mr. Frank N. Meyer, agricultural explorer, March 12, 1910.

Cuttings of the following:

27049 to 27057. *PUNICA GRANATUM* L.

Pomegranate.

From near Sukhum-Kale, Caucasus, Russia. "(No. 421 to 429, February 10, 1910.) A collection of named pomegranates obtained from the experimental station near Sukhum. As the plants were only recently received at the station, no definite information could be obtained regarding them at present." (*Meyer.*)

27049. "*Krylezy-Kabuk.* (No. 421.)"

27050. "*Seville a gros grain.* (No. 422.)"

27051. "*Alopar.* (No. 423.)"

27052. "*Sushinski rannyi.* (No. 424.)"

27053. "*Di Brindishi.* (No. 425.)"

27054. "*A frutto grosso.* (No. 426.)"

27055. "*Yelisavetpolski sladkii.* (No. 427.) A large-fruited variety having red flesh and of sour taste. A local Caucasian variety, obtained originally from the vicinity of Yelisavetpol (Caucasus)." (*Meyer.*)

27056. "*Shirinar.* (No. 428.)"

27057. "*Nain des Antilles.* (No. 429.)"

27058. *CITRUS MEDICA* L.

Lemon (?)

From near Sukhum-Kale, Caucasus, Russia. "(No. 435, February 11, 1910.) A large-fruited lemon, very juicy, and with few seeds. Has proved to be a heavy fruiter and to be more frost resistant than any other lemon in this locality. Found originally among a bunch of other citrus stock in the garden of Mr. Smitskoi, near Sukhum, where these cuttings were obtained." (*Meyer.*)